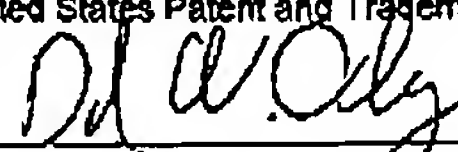


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed on October 18, 2005, Applicants have filed this Response with a request for a four-month extension of time. Applicants elect Group I with traverse.

Remarks/Arguments begin on p. 2 of this paper.